1948

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

TOWN OF

ALTON, N. H.

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st

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OF THE

SELECTMEN

TOWN CLERK

TOWN TREASURER, TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

COMMISSIONERS OF THE LIGHTING PRECINCT

WATER COMMISSIONERS

AND THE

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FIRE ALARM SIGNALS

BOX NO.	LOCATION
3	Brush fire. Repeat three times.
4	Alton Bay Fire Station.
5	Central Schoolhouse.
6	Town Hall.
12	Campground Store.
13	Alton Bay, near Lester Downing Residence.
24	Main St., corner School St.
26	Main St., Wolfeboro Hill.
31	Oak Birch Inn.
32	Gilmanton Road, corner Mill St.
36	Opposite Wyman's Garage.
41	Bay Schoolhouse.
42	Main St., foot Rollins' Hill.
43	Main St., near Fred Colbath Residence.
2-2-2	Out of town call. All firemen to report at station.
1-1	All out signal.
2	Blasts at 7.30 a. m., no school.
2	Blasts at 7.30 p. m., Fire Dept. meeting.
1	Blast, water to be shut off in thirty minutes.

NOTICE

Brush fire, chimney fire, and all outside fire alarms are to be telephoned to the Alton operator, who will sound the proper alarm, and notify the proper authorities. This will be done by means of a control box now in the central office. State clearly the nature, extent and location of the fire. By complying with the above much time and property may be saved.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR OPERATING A BOX

Opening a box does not sound alarm: Pull down handle. Anyone sounding alarm to remain at box to direct firemen. Second alarm to be sounded by order of the chief engineer only. Test alarm every day at 12.45. Do not sound alarm unless necessary.

ROBERT W. EASTMAN,
HERBERT T. ALDEN,
LAWRENCE F. SAMPSON,
Fire Wards of Alton.

TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

FREDERICK M. PERKINS — TERM EXPIRES 1949
CLARENCE KILBORN — TERM EXPIRES 1950
HERBERT T. ALDEN — TERM EXPIRES 1951

Clerk
ETHEL W. MORRELL

Treasurer
STELLA F. AYER

Tax Collector
JOHN H. McDUFFEE

Auditors
RAYMOND DUNCAN — ROBERT SEDERQUIST

Trustees of Trust Funds

FRANK M. AYER — TERM EXPIRES 1949
CLARENCE P. KILBORN — TERM EXPIRES 1950
CALVIN WYMAN — TERM EXPIRES 1951

Trustees of Public Library

HAROLD CLOUGH — TERM EXPIRES 1949
ANNIE A. WHEELER — TERM EXPIRES 1950
DONALD GOWEN — TERM EXPIRES 1951

Precinct Commissioners
FREDERICK M. PERKINS
CLARENCE KILBORN — HERBERT T. ALDEN

Representative to the General Court
FREDERICK M. PERKINS

Moderator
FRANK M. AYER

Supervisors of the Check List
LILLIAN M. FIFIELD — JOHN H. McDUFFEE
BURTON HALE

Constable
RALPH DREW

Highway Agent
FORREST VARNEY

Health Officer
GEORGE MacGREGOR

TOWN OFFICERS

Fire Wards

ROBERT W. EASTMAN HERBERT T. ALDEN
LAWRENCE F. SAMPSON

Forest Fire Warden

HAROLD E. PRIME

Deputy Forest Fire Wardens

OLIVER BARNES HERBERT CARD
HAROLD CLOUGH CHARLES ROBERTS
LEWIS HAYES

School Board

OLIVER R. SHATTUCK	TERM EXPIRES 1949
EMILY BARNES	TERM EXPIRES 1950
LEON T. DODGE	TERM EXPIRES 1951

Superintendent

GEORGE HOLLOWAY

Librarian

ANNIE A. WHEELER

Justice of Municipal Court

CARL W. WYMAN

Water Commissioners

WESTON ALDEN	TERM EXPIRES 1949
JOHN H. McDUFFEE	TERM EXPIRES 1950
ERNEST SANDERS	TERM EXPIRES 1951

Budget Committee

MARTIN A. LYNCH	TERM EXPIRES 1949
FREDERICK M. PERKINS	TERM EXPIRES 1949
CARL W. WYMAN	TERM EXPIRES 1949
FRANK J. McGRATH	TERM EXPIRES 1950
CHARLES PROCTOR	TERM EXPIRES 1950
OLIVER M. COLBY	TERM EXPIRES 1950
FRED T. WILSON	TERM EXPIRES 1951
RAYMOND C. DUNCAN	TERM EXPIRES 1951
BEN STEVENS	TERM EXPIRES 1951

LEON T. DODGE, School Committee
FREDERICK M. PERKINS, Selectman

BUDGET

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year, January 1, 1949 to December 31, 1949, compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year, January 1, 1948 to December 31, 1948.

	1948 Actual	1949 Estimate
From State:		
Interest and dividends tax	$3,913.94	$3,000.00
Railroad tax	255.05	100.00
Savings bank tax	169.64	150.00
Reimbursement account state and federal forest lands		15.00
Reimbursement account old age · age assistance and other refunds	2,560.80	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
Business licenses and permits	15.00	5.00
Fines and forfeits, municipal court	173.50	50.00
Rent of town hall and other buildings	203.00	125.00
Interest received on taxes and deposits	906.07	250.00
Income of Departments:		
Highway, including rental of equipment	290.00	1,000.00
Dog licenses	244.81	
Motor vehicle permit fees	3,117.28	2,200.00
Merchandise sold	631.00	
Temporary loans	20,000.00	
Special Article 1 in special town meeting and special Article 10, including $1,400.00 water payment	19,900.00	
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:		
Previous year	9,644.36	
Poll taxes, regular @ $2.00	1,040.00	
Tax sales redeemed	181.38	
Cash on hand	11,257.70	
	$74,503.53	

Amount To Be Raised By Property Taxes	78,682.84
Total revenues	$153,186.37

PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURES

	1948 Actual	1949 Estimate
Current Maintenance Expenses:		
General government:		
Town officers' salaries	$2,988.01	$2,650.00
Town officers' expenses	1,297.41	1,000.00
Election and registration expenses	416.45	250.00
Municipal court expenses	100.00	150.00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	4,488.88	2,700.00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Dog damage	165.48	
Police department	1,907.16	1,800.00
Fire department	4,350.46	4,800.00
Moth extermination, blister rust	400.00	400.00
Bounties	338.00	
Health:		
Health department	878.42	1,500.00
Vital statistics	13.10	35.00
Highways and Bridges:		
Town maintenance, summer	8,310.75	8,000.00
Town maintenance, winter	6,912.62	6,000.00
Street lighting	132.00	390.00
General expenses of highway department	4,316.52	1,500.00
Town road aid, Class V	1,301.48	831.00
Tarvia, Article 4	1,709.28	1,000.00
Article 18, beach construction	505.10	500.00
Libraries:		
Library	501.10	501.10
Public Welfare:		
Town poor	2,228.56	3,000.00
Old age assistance	6,870.52	7,800.00
County poor	172.00	
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial day and veterans' associations	150.00	150.00
Aid to soldiers and their families	31.25	500.00

Recreation:		
Parks and playgrounds	773.30	600.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries	1,048.10	1,000.00
Special Articles:		
Article 16, spraying trees	250.00	250.00
Advertising and regional associations, Article 11	265.00	281.00
Article 10	8,358.53	
Article 21	2,394.33	
Article 22		1.00
Laconia hospital		250.00
Huggins hospital		250.00
New fire station, Article 19		20,000.00
Article 20, repairs, town hall, for fire station		5,000.00
Article 21, 1949		1.00
Unclassified:		
1947 tax refund	97.60	
Damages and legal expenses	227.23	100.00
Taxes bought by town	389.92	
Railroad property	101.20	
Interest:		
Interest	928.56	382.00
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:		
Summer and winter activities	825.10	1,000.00
Indebtedness:		
Payment on Principal of Debt:		
Appropriations to water and electric utilities	10,000.00	
Temporary loans	20,000.00	
Long term notes	3,600.00	4,100.00
Precinct	2,700.00	2,700.00
Payment to capital reserve funds	2,000.00	2,000.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
County taxes	8,012.71	8,200.00
School taxes	29,984.00	40,927.55
Total expenditures	$142,458.99	

Approved by Budget Committee of Alton, N. H.

M. A. LYNCH, Chairman.

F. M. PERKINS, Clerk.

February 14, 1949.

WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the town of Alton, in the County of Belknap, in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town house, in said Alton, on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To see what sum of money the town will vote raise and appropriate to pay all necessary charges of the town for the ensuing year.

Article 2. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repairs of highways and bridges for the ensuing year, in addition to that required by law.

Article 3. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the removal of snow from the town's highways.

Article 4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of tarvia and application of the same.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $827.81 provided that the state will contribute $3,311.22 for Class V roads, so called.

Article 6. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow necessary monies in anticipation of taxes.

Article 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the decoration of soldiers' graves.

Article 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of the public library in addition to that required by law.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $400.00, to be expended under state supervision for the control of the white pine blister rust. (By request)

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $281.00 to the Lakes Region Association of New Hampshire, which is one-hundredth of one per cent of the assessed valuation, for

the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the town together with other towns in the Lakes Region. (By request)

Article 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the aid of the Huggins hospital at Wolfeboro. (By request)

Article 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the aid of the Laconia hospital at Laconia. (By request)

Article 13. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount on all property taxes for the 1949 assessment, one per cent to August 31 and one-half of one per cent to September 30, inclusive.

Article 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for a Post-War Project Fund. This fund shall not be expended until post-war period and then only by vote of the town.

Article 15. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $250.00 for spraying trees along our highways.

Article 16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for band concerts, summer and winter activities. (By request)

Article 17. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for building a public bathing beach at Alton Bay.

Article 18. To see if the town will vote to sell the pumping station and land located at Alton Bay which was acquired when the town purchased the Alton Water Works. Money received from the sale of same to be used to discharge the water department debt. (By request)

Article 19. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $20,000.00 to purchase a lot and construct a new fire station on long term notes at the discretion of the selectmen.

Article 20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed $5,000.00 for the rebuilding of the basement of the town hall to provide quarters for the fire equipment.

Article 21. To see what action the town will take in regard to the following: To require the selectmen to have printed a list of the valuation and taxes of all the property owners in the town of Alton and

include such list in the annual town report. (By petition)

Article 22. To see what action the town will take in regard to the collection and disposal of garbage and trash in the town of Alton and to raise and appropriate money for the same. (By petition)

Article 23. To see what action the town will take in regard to the following: That the selectmen be required to present an allocation of the money to be raised and appropriated for summer work on town roads to the different districts before voting on the article to raise and appropriate the same. (By petition)

Article 24. To see if the town will vote to accept the new road built by John Porter on land deeded to the town by William R. Clough and also continuing from said new road to property now owned by John Porter.

Article 25. To see if the town will vote to accept the new road laid out by the selectmen by petition known as Hutchin's Circle.

Article 26. To see if the town of Alton and the water commissioners will extend the water main to the residence of Murray Buchanan on Oak Hill and along Riverside Drive. (By petition)

Article 27. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 28. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year, to elect one selectman for three years, one library trustee for three years, one trustee of trust funds for three years and one water commissioner for three years.

Given under our hands and seal this nineteenth day of February, 1949.

FREDERICK M. PERKINS,
CLARENCE P. KILBORN,
HERBERT T. ALDEN,
Selectmen of Alton.

A true copy, attest:

FREDERICK M. PERKINS,
CLARENCE P. KILBORN,
HERBERT T. ALDEN,
Selectmen of Alton.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Valuation April 1, 1948

Real estate, 35,605 acres		$2,633,325.00
Growing wood and timber		24,350.00
Electric plants		79,210.00
Personal estate		136,558.00
Total valuation		$2,873,443.00
Detail of personal estate:		
Horses	54	4,975.00
Oxen	1	250.00
Cows	143	15,730.00
Neat stock	26	1,880.00
Sheep and goats	7	105.00
Fowl	3,128	2,913.00
Portable mills	8	1,015.00
Boats and launches	117	46,500.00
Wood and lumber (not stock in trade)		14,050.00
Gasoline pumps		5,190.00
Stock in trade		38,950.00
Mills, machinery and wharfs		5,100.00
		$136,658.00

TAXES RAISED FOR THE YEAR 1948

Town officers' salaries	$2,600.00
Town officers' expenses	900.00
Election and registration	450.00
Municipal court	100.00
Town hall and other buildings	2,600.00
Police department	1,800.00
Fire department	4,142.00
Moth extermination	400.00
Health department	400.00
Vital statistics	35.00
State aid, Class V	823.80
Article 11, advertising	265.00
Town maintenance:	
Summer	8,000.00
Winter	8,000.00
Tarvia	1,000.00
Beach construction	500.00

Spraying trees	250.00	
Street lighting	150.00	
General expense of highway department	1,500.00	
Huggins hospital	250.00	
Laconia hospital	250.00	
Soldiers' aid	250.00	
Summer and winter activities	1,000.00	
Libraries	501.10	
Old age assistance	6,500.00	
Town poor	2,500.00	
Memorial day	150.00	
Parks and playgrounds	600.00	
Cemeteries	1,000.00	
Damages and legal expenses	100.00	
Interest	250.00	
Payments on principal of debt	2,249.00	
County tax	8,012.11	
School tax	36,863.55	
Capital reserve fund	1,000.00	
Total town and school appropriation		$95,392.16

LESS ESTIMATED REVENUE AND CREDITS

Interest and dividend tax	$3,885.81	
Railroad tax	200.00	
Savings bank tax	250.00	
Motor vehicle fees	2,300.00	
Business licenses and permits	5.00	
Fines and forfeits	50.00	
Rent of town property	125.00	
Interest received on taxes	400.00	
Reimbursement, state	15.00	
		$7,230.81
		$88,161.35
Plus overlay		2,303.56
Net amount to be raised by taxation		$90,464.91

Less poll tax 657 @ $2.00	1,314.00	
National bank stock tax	41.25	
		$1,395.25
Amt. to be raised by property taxes on which town tax is figured		$89,109.66
Property taxes	$89,109.66	
Regular polls @ $2.00	1,314.00	
National bank stock taxes	41.25	
Precinct taxes	2,735.07	
Total taxes, town and precinct		$93,199.98
Total taxes committed to collector		$93,199.98

Town rate, $3.16 on $100.00 valuation.
Precinct rate, $0.33 on $100.00 valuation.

ASSETS

In hands of treasurer, December 31, 1948	$10,727.38	
Due from state bounties	568.00	
Taxes due town on 1948 levy	12,097.73	
Amount due town on 1947 levy:		
Taxes	301.53	
Taxes due town on 1945 levy:		
Taxes	186.87	
Taxes due town on 1944 and previous levy:		
Taxes	824.09	
Balance due on tarring driveways and other merchandise sold	1,084.13	
Poll taxes	248.00	
Total assets		$26,037.73

LIABILITIES

Balance due hospitals	$500.00
Balance due on Article 17	175.00
Balance due school district	15,363.65
Notes payable serially:	
Farmington National Bank, water	750.00
Farmington National Bank, water	4,000.00
Farmington National Bank, water	2,000.00
Farmington National Bank, water	14,000.00

Farmington National Bank, water	10,000.00	
Balance due on fire truck	6,300.00	
		$53,088.65
Net debt December 31, 1947	$9,400.87	
Net debt December 31, 1948	27,050.92	
Increase of debt		$17,650.05

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value	
Town hall, land and buildings	$28,000.00	
Furniture and equipment	800.00	
Library and equipment	1,600.00	
Department property:		
Fire dept., land and buildings	200.00	
Apparatus	21,000.00	
Highway department:		
Tractor house and shed	1,200.00	
Plows and equipment	10,000.00	
Grader	8,000.00	
All other property and equipment:		
Snow fences	700.00	
Gravel banks	250.00	
Place lot and stable	5,000.00	
Wm. Charlesworth Lévey park	1,200.00	
Library lot	700.00	
Public wharfs	3,000.00	
Marine bandstand and new bandstand	1,500.00	
Water works system	56,715.26	
Railroad property	10,000.00	
		$149,865.26

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Amount collected for auto permits, 1948-49	$3,149.81	
Fee received for collecting 650 permits	325.00	
		$2,824.81

(Amount due treasurer as of December 31, 1948, $32.53. This money transmitted to treasurer as of February 5, 1949. Auditors' report).

Dog license fees, 1948-49:

12 females @ $5.00	$60.00	
73 males @ $2.00	146.00	
3 kennels @ $12.00	36.00	
3 males part year	2.81	
	$244.81	
Collecting fee, 182 @ $ .20	18.20	
		$226.61

ETHEL W. MORRELL,
Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

LEVY OF 1948

DR.

Taxes committed to the collector	$92,302.91	
Added taxes	958.89	
Bank stock	38.00	
Interest	5.22	
		$93,305.02

CR.

Remittance to treasurer	$78,682.84	
Discount	496.62	
Abatements	2,022.61	
Uncollected	12,097.73	
Interest	5.22	
		$93,305.02

DR.

Poll taxes committed to collector	$1,314.00	
Added poll taxes	24.00	
		$1,338.00

CR.

Poll taxes remitted to treasurer	$1,020.00	
Abatements	62.00	
Uncollected poll taxes	256.00	
		$1,338.00

LEVY OF 1947

DR.

Uncollected taxes January 1, 1948	$9,419.27	
Added taxes	65.17	
Interest	281.66	
		$9,766.10

CR.

Remittance to treasurer	$9,237.97	
Taxes bought by town	330.61	
Abatements	197.52	
		$9,766.10

DR.

Uncollected poll taxes January 1, 1948	$234.00	
Added taxes	10.00	
		$244.00

CR.

Remittance to treasurer	$224.00	
Abated	20.00	
		$244.00

DR.

Unredeemed taxes of previous years paid in 1948	$170.76	

Interest on taxes of previous years	88.67	
		$259.43

CR.

Remittance to treasurer of previous taxes redeemed in 1948	$170.76	
Interest on taxes of previous years	88.67	
		$259.43

JOHN H. McDUFFEE,
Tax Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand January 1, 1948		$11,257.70
Received of John H. McDuffee, collector:		
1947 taxes	$8,907.36	
1947 poll taxes	218.00	
Added taxes, 1947	87.42	
Interest on 1947 taxes	296.73	
Taxes bought by town	330.61	
Taxes redeemed	110.24	
Interest on same	73.92	
		$10,024.28
Received of John H. McDuffee, collector:		
1948 taxes	$78,682.84	
Poll taxes, 1948	1,040.00	
Taxes redeemed	60.56	
Interest on same	14.75	
Interest on 1948 taxes	5.22	
		$79,803.37
Received from other sources		52,101.02
		$153,186.37
Paid on orders of selectmen		142,458.99
		$10,727.38

STELLA F. AYER,
Treasurer.

CURRENT REVENUE

FROM STATE		
Tax Alton Bay tract, 2 years	$19.56	
Interest and dividends tax	3,913.94	
Railroad tax	255.05	
Savings bank tax	169.64	
Welfare department refund and toilet receipts and other refunds	2,541.24	
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES		
Business licenses and permits	15.00	
Rent of town hall and other buildings	203.00	
Sale railroad land	290.00	
Merchandise sold and other entries	631.00	
Interest from taxes	906.07	
Special Article 10	8,500.00	
Special Article 1	10,000.00	
Fines and forfeits	173.50	
Motor vehicle permit fees	3,117.28	
FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES		
Poll taxes	1,040.00	
Tax sales redeemed	181.38	
Taxes of 1947	9,644.36	
Dog licenses	244.81	
Water department notes	1,400.00	
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY ISSUE OF BONDS OR NOTES		
Temporary loan	20,000.00	
Cash on hand (surplus)	11,257.70	
Total revenues from all sources except property taxes	$74,503.53	
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES	78,682.84	
Total revenues		$153,186.37

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES

General government:	
1. Town officers' salaries	$2,988.01
2. Town officers' expenses	1,297.41
3. Election and registration	416.45

4. Municipal court	100.00
5. Town hall	4,488.88
Protection of persons and property:	
6. Police department	1,907.16
7. Fire department	4,350.46
8. Bounties	338.00
9. Damage by dogs	165.48
10. Lakes Region and special articles	15,006.96
Health:	
11. Health department	878.42
12. Vital statistics	13.10
13. Cemeteries	1,048.10
Highways and bridges:	
14. Winter work	6,912.62
15. Town maintenance, summer	8,310.75
16. Street lighting	132.00
17. General expense, highway	4,316.52
18. Tarvia and sanding	1,709.28
Education:	
19. Library	501.10
Charities:	
20. Old age assistance	6,870.52
21. Town poor	2,228.56
22. County poor	172.00
Patriotic purposes:	
23. Aid to soldiers	31.21
24. Memorial day	150.00
Unclassified:	
25. Damage and legal expenses	227.23
Recreation:	
26. Parks and playgrounds	773.30
Interest:	
27. Interest on notes	928.56
Outlay for new construction and permanent improvement:	
28. Class V	1,301.48
Expense of R. R. property surveying	101.20
Indebtedness:	
29. Paid on temporary loans	20,000.00
30. Paid on serial notes, water	3,600.00
Special articles:	
31. Lakes Region Association	281.00

32.	Huggins hospital	250.00
33.	Laconia hospital	250.00
Payments to other governmental divisions:		
34.	Taxes paid to county	8,012.71
35.	Taxes paid to precinct	2,700.00
36.	School district	29,984.00
37.	Taxes bought by town	389.92
38.	Special appropriation	10,000.00
39.	Abatements	97.60
40.	Over payment	10.00
41.	Cash on hand December 31, 1948	10,727.38
		$142,458.99

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

DETAIL 1. TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Clarence Kilborn, auditor	$56.00
Arthur Martin, auditor	56.00
Frederick Perkins, selectman	500.00
Herbert Alden, selectman	405.00
Clarence Kilborn, selectman	450.00
Ethel Morrell, clerk	493.01
John McDuffee	650.00
Frank M. Ayer, trustee of trust funds	75.00
Elizabeth Beaudette, special ballot inspector	4.00
Harold Prime, state fire warden	5.00
Lawrence Sampson, fire warden	5.00
Stella F. Ayer, treasurer	225.00
E. B. Hodgins surverying for town	64.00
	$2,988.00

DETAIL 2. TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Farmington News	$511.50
Wheeler and Clark	29.92
Brown and Saltmarsh	75.30
Ethel W. Morrell	93.00
Ralph Stevens	2.60
Thomas E. Elder, bonds	145.00
N. H. Assessors' Assn.	2.00
Charles P. Raymond, transfer cards	72.00

Martin Lynch, postage	7.44	
Arthur Varney, postage	8.14	
Fred M. Perkins	57.20	
The Jones Agency, bonds	120.00	
Carroll W. Stafford	.50	
John H. McDuffee	52.00	
Clarence Kilborn	28.50	
Edson E. Eastman	2.10	
N. H. City and Town Clerks' Assn.	2.00	
Belknap County superior court	2.20	
Lawrence F. Sampson	38.86	
Herbert Alden	41.92	
Stella F. Ayer	5.23	
		1,297.41

DETAIL 3. ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Farmington News, printing	$36.90	
Merrymeeting Grange, election dinners	23.20	
Lena Fredericks, election dinners	43.35	
Charles Chesley, supervisor	24.00	
Lillian Fifield, supervisor	24.00	
Lillian Fifield, supervisor	60.00	
Lillian Fifield, supervisor	2.00	
Blanch Lynch, ballot inspector	6.00	
Elizabeth Beaudett, ballot inspector	6.00	
Ethelyn Tucker, ballot inspector	22.00	
Burton Hale, supervisor	54.00	
E. Frances Roberts, supervisor	54.00	
F. M. Ayer, moderator	35.00	
Raymond Duncan, ballot inspector	14.00	
		$416.45

DETAIL 5. TOWN HALL AND OTHER BUILDINGS

Union Telephone Co.	$70.80
F. J. McGrath, supplies	104.38
Harry Graham, coal	90.78
Arthur Twombly, painting	573.30
Ralph Drew, labor	59.00
Henry Moore, wood and labor	118.50
White Mt. Power Co.	200.57
Oliver Barnes, labor and materials on town buildings	746.93

Ralph Stevens, janitor	878.35	
Jones Agency	253.45	
J. H. McDuffee, water	64.29	
Walter Varney, labor	41.03	
Howard Clock Co.	46.75	
Herbert Card	183.42	
Glenn Edwards, wood	16.00	
Melvin Drew, wood	75.00	
Rochester Germicide Co.	24.50	
Frank Howard	8.40	
Frederick Perkins, labor and materials, town barn and town hall	626.15	
Tom Butler, painting	173.85	
		$4,488.88

DETAIL 6. POLICE DEPARTMENT

Harold Tibbetts and other police officers' salaries	965.19	
Ralph Drew	866.40	
Ivers Wetherbee, electric supplies, labor, police light	21.46	
White Mt. Power Co., supplies	4.11	
American Fire Co., equipment and supplies	20.00	
Waldo Willis, painting parking lines	30.00	
		$1,907.16

DETAIL 7. FIRE DEPARTMENT

White Mt. Power Co.	$104.03
Ricker's Service Station	11.16
F. J. McGrath	15.61
Joseph Condes	2.00
Wyman's Garage	43.44
Robert Eastman	5.00
Herbert Jones, payroll	490.85
Barbara Colman	225.00
Harold Prime	602.56
Herbert Buchanan	5.00
Harold Piper	150.00
Gamewell Co.	76.81
Maxium Motors	55.00
American Fire Co., equipment	812.57

John H. McDuffee	540.00	
Union Telephone Co.	83.36	
Oliver Shattuck	1.50	
Herbert Card	32.32	
Frank M. Ayer	140.20	
Brackett and Shaw	50.05	
Charles Trickey	20.00	
Reed's Oil Service	153.77	
State of New Hampshire	106.98	
Ivers Wetherbee	158.60	
Downing Auto and Boat Service	200.00	
Blanchard Association	50.12	
Alden's Garage	128.55	
Farmington News	10.50	
T. W. Griffin	46.80	
Oliver Barnes	24.18	
Laconia Bottle Gas Co.	4.50	
		$4,350.46

DETAIL 10. SPECIAL ARTICLES

Article No. 9	$400.00	
Article No. 10	8,358.53	
Article No. 11	265.00	
Article No. 15	2,000.00	
Article No. 16	250.00	
Article No. 17	825.00	
Article No. 18	505.10	
Article No. 21	2,394.33	
		$15,006.96

DETAIL 11. HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Frank Huggins	$90.00	
Merle Gassett	164.00	
Farmington News	21.50	
Granite State Medical Supply Co.	13.56	
Forrest Varney	9.20	
Charles Lovett	451.20	
O. R. Shattuck	18.70	
George McGregor, health officer	110.26	
		$878.42

DETAIL 14. WINTER WORK

Forrest Varney, agent, payroll	$6,912.62

DETAIL 15. TOWN MAINTENANCE, SUMMER

Section 1	$302.10	
Section 2	2,182.77	
Section 3	1,144.30	
Section 4	659.40	
Section 5	341.80	
Section 6	239.00	
Section 7	671.30	
Section 8	267.00	
Section 9	130.10	
Section 10	239.48	
Village	756.40	
Leon Dore, grader	423.95	
George Wakefield, use of backhoe	72.00	
Donald Gowan, gravel	5.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue	152.40	
John Hellie, witholding	1.80	
William Nehring, spraying	205.00	
Town of Alton, dump	57.40	
West Alton road	24.95	
C. Lamper, repairing gate	13.00	
Mitchell avenue road	176.80	
Tarring	244.80	
		$8,310.75

DETAIL 17. GENERAL EXPENSE OF HIGHWAY

Downing's Auto and Boat Service	$311.25	
Wyman's Garage	1,006.50	
J. Jones & Son	96.78	
Fred Reed	254.77	
N. H. Explosive Co.	207.88	
R. C. Hazelton	424.95	
Kenneth Chase	20.00	
Alden Machine Co.	29.95	
H. D. Card	118.64	
H. C. Ricker	12.14	
F. J. McGrath	65.27	
Rays Road Equipment Co.	92.07	
Farmington News	24.50	
		$4,316.52

DETAIL 20. OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

January	$664.01	August	585.93
February & March	990.79	September	544.69
April	510.94	October	559.05
May	628.57	November	694.83
June	489.01	December	801.83
July	600.87		
			$6,870.52

DETAIL 21. TOWN POOR

R. E. Jewell, ambulance and funeral for Georgia Nutter	$203.40	
William Titus, aid to Levi Gilman	28.68	
Bedard Store, aid to Levi Gilman	47.52	
Everett Rines, aid to Fred Leavitt	43.46	
Dr. Appleyard, aid to Georgia Nutter	67.00	
Mary Varney, aid to Georgia Nutter	15.00	
H. C. Ricker, aid to Ernest Hurd	18.00	
Dr. Benway, aid to Ernest Hurd	45.00	
Belknap County Home	1,710.50	
Clarence Kilborn, overseer poor	50.00	
		$2,228.56

DETAIL 26. PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

F. J. McGrath	$60.79	
Oliver Barnes	9.02	
J. H. McDuffee, water	103.29	
Joseph Condes	34.85	
Ralph Drew	12.00	
Old Home Day	200.00	
Oliver Shattuck	1.50	
Walter Willis	240.25	
Forrest Varney	6.60	
F. M. Ayer	15.00	
Clarence Barnes	90.00	
		$773.30

FREDERICK M. PERKINS,
CLARENCE P. KILBORN,
HERBERT T. ALDEN,
Selectmen of Alton.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF ALTON, N. H.

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS—Purpose of Creation		HOW INVESTED	Amt of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on hand at beginning of year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on hand at end of year
		Donors Cemetery Fund	Dep Amoskeag Sav. Bank	Invested funds 3 1-2 per cent Interest in bank 2 1-2 per cent					
1901 Aug 1	Herbert I. & Leonard Nute,	Carrie B. Nute & Ida Nute "		$250		$11.86	$9.04	$6.00	$14.90
1909 Feb 12	Sarah J. I. Evans	Sarah J. I. Evans "		100		2.41	3.56	3.00	2.97
1910 Sept 23	Betsey J. Frohock	Betsey J. Frohock "		100		2.56	3.56	3.00	3.12
1911 Jan 25	Emeline R. Avery	Emeline R. Avery "		500		41.09	18.52	7.00	52.61
1913 Feb 15	Alonzo S. French	Alonzo S. French "		150		5.66	5.37	3.00	8.03
1925 June 3	James W. Durgin	James W. Durgin "		100		3.86	3.58	3.00	4.44
1932 Oct 1	Davis & Gooding	O. E. Davis & Grace A. Gooding "		100.		4.38	3.60	3.00	4.98
1911 Sept 5	Lydia A. Runnells	Lydia A. Runnells "		100		2.33	3.56		5.89
1933 Feb 1	Willis E. Glidden	Willis E. Glidden Estate "		100		2.74	3.56	3.00	3.30
1933 Feb 1	Lafayette Canney	Lafayette Canney "		100		1.85	3.52	2.50	2.87
1933 June 1	Irad B. Gilman	Irad B. Gilman "		100		4.39	3.60	3.00	4.99
1933 June 1	Ida F. Nutter	Ida F. Nutter "		200		3.93	7.08	5.00	6.01
1933 June 1	James B. Woodman	James B. Woodman "		200		7.10	7.18	3.00	11.28
1934 Sept 1	John F. Hanson	Abbie M. Elkins "		100		2.33	3.56		5.89
1935 Aug 1	Hezekiah Sleeper	Abbie H. Batchelder "		100		2.61	3.56	2.00	4.17
1936 Jan 1	Naham Lamprey	Naham Lamprey Estate "		100		3.43	3.58	3.00	4.01
1917 Dec 17	Percy S. Jones	Percy S. Jones "		1,700		79.04	61.49	9.00	131.53
1911 Jan 28	George W. Berry	George W. Berry Estate "	Dep Irving Trust Co. &	102		14.60	4.80	5.00	14.40
1914 Nov 14	Ellen Jones	Ellen Jones "	Manchester Fed. Sav. Bk	408		97.84	21.02	4.00	114.86
1911 Aug 21	Stephen C. Wentworth	Stephen C. Wentworth "	Dep. Manchester Federal	75		2.07	2.67	2.00	2.74
1913 Feb 15	Jonathan H. Downing	Jonathan H. Downing "	Saving & Loan	100		4.19	3.60	2.00	5.79
1914 Feb 15	Daniel M. & John F. Perkins	Daniel M. & John F. Perkins "		80		2.54	2.86	3.00	2.40
1916 July 21	Andrew J. Varney, Chester A. Twombly	Marietta Twombly "		100		2.80	3.57	2.50	3.87
1917 May 16	Minerva B. Sanborn	Minerva B. Sanborn "		50		1.06	1.78	1.50	1.34
1919 Dec 31	Sarah J. Clark	Sarah J. Clark "		400		65.38	15.64	60.00	21.02
1920 June 11	Lewis P. Varney, George Scott Rines	Lewis P. Varney, George Scott Rines "		200		7.78	7.19	6.00	8.97

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1921 June 1	Clara A. Fifield	Clara A. Fifield	"	Dep. Manchester Fed.	100	3.33	3.58	3.00	3.91
1923 April 1	Benjamin C. Glidden	Benjamin C. Glidden	"	Savings & Loan	50	4.63	1.87	1.50	5.00
1924 Oct 9	Bertha L. Jones	Bertha L. Jones	"		150	8.29	5.46	3.00	10.75
1925 Jan 1	Ann E. Peavey	Ann E. Peavey	"		100	4.09	3.60	3.00	4.69
1926 Oct 26	Fannie Chandler	Fannie Chandler	"		75	.64	2.65	2.00	1.29
1927 May 16	Abbie H. Batchelder	Abbie H. Batchelder	"		100	6.88	3.67	3.00	7.55
1928 July 11	Fred M. Newhall	Eva M. Newhall	"		100	2.81	3.57	3.00	3.38
1928 Nov 7	Charles Mooney	Laura Mooney	"		100	2.30	3.56	3.00	2.86
1929 Dec 3	John G. W. Jones	Albert D. Morse	"		50	.52	1.76		2.28
1929 Jan 31	Levi T. Coffin	Florence Coffin	"		100	3.27	3.58	3.00	3.85
1930 Feb 27	Georgia E. Whitehouse	Georgia E. Whitehouse	"		100	2.30	3.56	3.00	2.86
1930 Mar 12	Amy Welch	Amy Welch	"		100	1.92	3.55	3.00	2.47
1923 Aug 1	Moses W. Morrell	Moses W. Morrell	"		75	2.29	2.68	2.00	2.97
1923 Aug 1	Jonathan L. Blakely	Moses W. Morrell	"		37.50	.62	1.33		1.95
1923 Oct 1	Charles W. Sanborn	Annie L. Sanborn	"		37.50	1.71	1.36	1.50	1.57
1923 Dec 1	Aaron Young	Luella Young	"		18.75	1.59	.69		2.28
1924 Jan 31	Lewis E. Avery	Lewis E. Avery	"		375	28.20	13.84	9.00	33.04
1925 Jan 31	Dora J. Brown	Dora J. Brown	"		18.75	.81	.68		1.49
1936 July 1	Herbert L. Glidden	Herbert L. Glidden	"		100	3.57	3.58	3.00	4.15
1936 Oct 3	S. E. P. Gilman	Ella Gilman	"		150	15.39	5.65	3.00	18.04
1936 April21	Luella C. Bradley	Luella C. Bradley	"		200	12.95	7.33	3.00	17.28
1937 June16	Alonzo S. Brooks	Alonzo S. Brooks	"		400	66.59	15.67	6.00	76.26
1938 Feb 1	Herbert E. Morrill	Arona E. Watts Estate	"		50	2.65	1.81	2.00	2.46
1938 April22	John J. Nutter	Christie A. Dore, Extrx.	"		100	.47	3.51		3.98
1938 Aug 25	Martha A. Amazeen	Martha A. Amazeen	"		100	4.24	3.61	3.00	4.85
1939 Mar 25	Levi B. Glidden	Myra L. Willoughby	"		100	1.29	3.53	2.50	2.32
1939 Aug 9	Enoch Canney	Lizzie M. Reynolds	"		100	3.41	3.59	3.00	4.00
1939 Sept 27	Luella C. Bradley	Luella C. Bradley	"		200	21.44	7.55	3.00	25.99
1939 Dec 9	Lewis H. Lamprey	Lewis H. Lamprey	"		100	2.84	3.57	3.00	3.41
1940 Jan 8	E. D. Roberts	E. D. Roberts	"		100	7.58	3.69	3.50	7.77
1919 June10	Eben C. Sleeper	Mary J. Sleeper	"		100	2.59	3.56	3.00	3.15
1927 Aug 31	William Celon	William Celon	"		100	3.89	3.60	3.00	4.49
1936 Oct 27	Clara A. Amazeen	Offin Merrow, Jas. Merrow	"		50	1.06	1.78	1.50	1.34
1943 Nov 16	Oscar C. Ellis	Oscar C. Ellis Estate	"		150	10.23	5.52	3.00	12.75
1943 Nov 16	Oscar C. Ellis	Oscar C. Ellis, Alton Mt. Cemetery	"		75	3.57	2.73		6.30
1927 Dec 27	Jesse Wilson	Jesse Wilson	"		100	4.23	3.61	3.00	4.84
1929 Oct 1	Fona G. Littlefield	Fona G. Littlefield	"		100	3.29	3.58	3.00	3.87
1930 Mar 25	Ruth Hayes	Ruth Hayes	"	Dep.ManchesterSav.Bank	50	1.00	1.77	1.50	1.27
1930 Sept 1	Lovisa Shirley	Cyrus Harriman	"		50	1.00	1.77	1.50	1.27
1931 May 1	Ada M. Gilman	Ada M. Gilman, Heirs	"		100	3.10	3.58	3.00	3.68
1931 Nov 1	George C. Perkins	George C. Perkins	"		100	3.40	3.58	3.00	3.98
1932 Dec 15	Inez Q. Walker	Inez Q. Walker	"		100	3.63	3.58	3.00	4.21
1934 Jan 1	Sarah J. Gilman	Sarah J. Gilman	"		100	3.07	3.58	3.00	3.65

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1930 May 14	Walter Bubier	Walter Bubier	"	Dep.Manchester Sav.Bank	100	3.46	3.09	3.00	3.55
1930 Oct 2	David Lamper	Dora Morse & Amanda Varney	"		100	2.52	3.56	3.00	3.08
1921 Dec 31	Jessie Savage	Jessie Savage	"		150	9.49	4.99	6.00	8.48
1921 June 1	Lizzie M. Lamper	Lizzie M. Lamper	"		50	1.92	1.77	1.50	2.19
1926 Aug 19	Seth C. Hayes	Seth C. Hayes	"		50	1.00	1.77	1.50	1.27
1927 May 16	Charles D. Marston	Luella Marston	"		50	1.00	1.77	1.50	1.27
1917 Feb 15	William B. Jenness	William B. Jenness	"		50	1.47	1.77	1.50	1.74
1917 Feb 17	Charles H. Downing	Charles H. Downing	"		100	5.23	3.62	2.00	6.85
1917 May 14	Jonas M. Place	Jonas M. Place	"		100	1.97	3.52	3.00	2.49
1921 Feb 15	Charles M. Hurd	Charles M. Hurd	"		100	3.37	3.58	3.00	3.95
1922 Feb 1	M. D. L. McDuffee	M. D. L. McDuffee	"		50	1.00	1.77	1.50	1.27
1922 Mar 1	Martha W. Coan	Martha W. Coan	"		100	3.08	3.58	3.00	3.66
1922 Mar 4	Sarah A. McDuffee	Sarah A. McDuffee	"		100	3.65	3.58	3.00	4.23
1922 Mar 22	Harry Morrison	Harry Morrison	"		100	2.72	3.56	3.00	3.28
1922 May 1	Carrie Hammonds	Carrie Hammonds	"		100	3.33	3.58	3.00	3.91
1926 July 1	Amanda Durgin	Amanda Durgin	"		100	2.55	3.56	3.00	3.11
1928 Feb 27	Charles A. Barr	Charles A. Barr	"		100	4.71	3.60	3.00	5.31
1931 Oct 31	Luella Phillips	Luella Phillips	"		100	4.59	3.60	3.50	4.69
1931 Oct 31	Richard Yeaton	Melissa Witham	"		100	4.72	3.60	3.50	4.82
1931 Sept 1	Fred E. Glidden	Fred E. Glidden	"		100	6.11	3.66	3.50	6.27
1927 Dec 27	Oliver J. M. Gilman	Oliver J. M. Gilman	"		500	28.79	18.21	7.50	39.50
1930 July 5	Lottie L. Rines	Lottie L. Rines	"		100	2.51	3.56	3.00	3.07
1931 Nov 1	Emma A. Wildes	Emma A. Wildes	"		50	1.00	1.77	1.75	1.02
1919 Sept 15	Ann Elizabeth Stowell	Ann Elizabeth Stowell	"		150	8.75	5.45	5.25	8.95
1926 Oct 13	Clara M. Jones	Clara M. Jones	"		150	6.62	5.41	4.00	8.03
1927 Nov 1	Nathan F. Hunt	Nathan F. Hunt	"		300	38.72	11.47	6.00	44.19
1931 Dec 1	Harry P. Evans	Mabel M. Evans	"		150	14.84	5.62	4.00	16.46
1932 May 1	Jacob Chamberlain	Jacob Chamberlain	"		100	2.81	3.56	3.00	3.37
1930 Nov 26	Sewell E. Roberts	Ella Trask Roberts	"		100	4.48	3.60	3.00	5.08
1931 Mar 20	Lang & Miller	Carrie A. Seward & Wm S. Lang	"		200	7.74	7.18	7.00	7.92
1931 April 1	Annette Chesley Price	Annette Chesley Price	"		100	4.50	3.60	3.00	5.10
1931 May 1	Hannah Young	Hannah Young	"		86.76	3.35	3.12	3.00	3.47
1931 May 4	Fannie Rogers	Fannie Rogers	"		100	4.48	3.60	3.00	5.08
1931 Dec 1	John C. Young	John C. Young	"		100	3.53	3.58	3.00	4.11
1931 Dec 1	Romeyne B. Hurd	Mabel M. Brown	"		150	11.92	5.54	3.00	14.46
1932 Sept 1	Fred Hanson	Fred Hanson	"		100	5.47	3.62	3.50	5.59
1932 Dec 1	Clara B. Yorke	Clara B. Yorke	"		75	3.56	2.71	2.50	3.77
1932 Dec 2	Carrie B. Tibbetts	F. E. & C. B. Tibbetts & J. E. Cook	"		125	6.01	4.53	4.00	6.54
1933 Mar 1	Oscar E. Davis	Oscar E. Davis	"		200	9.93	7.24	5.00	12.17
1933 Aug 1	Percy H. Walker	Percy H. Walker	"		100	2.49	3.56	3.00	3.05
1934 Sept 1	Capt. James Nute	Ida Nute	"		100	2.93	3.56	3.50	2.99
1935 Sept 6	Mary L. Bickford	Mary L. Bickford	"		100	5.43	3.62	3.50	5.55
1917 Dec 17	Percy S. Jones	Percy S. Jones	"		2300	174.25	84.88	87.64	171.49
1934 Sept 1	Waldo C. Varney	Waldo C. Varney	"	Dep. City Savings Bank	500	23.29	18.01	10.00	31.30

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1934 Oct 1	Carrie B. Carpenter	Carrie B. Carpenter	"	Dep. City Savings Bank	200	3.73	7.06	6.00	4.79
1935 April16	Frank D. Morse	Dora E. Morse	"		100	1.79	3.52	3.00	2.31
1935 June 8	Elbridge G. Ellis	Elbridge G. Ellis	"		100	3.01	3.56	2.00	4.57
1935 Nov 1	Mattie Hayes	Mattie Hayes	"	Dep.HillsboroCtySav.B'k	200	7.03	8.16	3.50	11.69
1945 Mar 8	Mattie Hayes	Mattie Hayes	"						
1936 Jan 1	Everett W. Emerson	L. Maude Emerson	"		100	1.94	4.04	3.50	2.48
1940 July 19	Andrew J. Brown	S. Waldo Brown Estate	"	Dep. Manchester Federal	150	3.50	5.25	3.00	5.75
1940 July 19	J. Frank Perkins	Florence Clark	"	Savings Bank	100	3.34	3.50	3.00	3.84
1940 Sept25	Edward L. Gould	Edward L. Gould	"		50	1.51	1.[illegible]5	1.50	1.76
1941 Sept20	Paul E. Buckley	Mrs. Paul E. Buckley	"		125	7.38	4.56	3.00	8.94
1941 Dec 6	Mrs. Alma Chamberlain	Mrs. Alma Chamberlain	"		200	14.83	7.37	4.00	18.20
1942 April 1	Amos L. Rollins, E. W. Francis et al	Emily Francis Estate	"		300	18.99	11.13	6.00	24.12
1942 Oct 3	Herman P. Horne	Lizzie B. Horne	"		100	4.48	3.50	3.00	4.98
1944 May 31	Willis H. Reynolds	Dean S. Reynolds	"		100	2.98	3.57	2.50	4.05
1944 Sept 5	George S. Bassett	Roscoe C. Bassett	"		100	3.27	3.58	3.00	3.85
1944 May 31	Aaron Varney	Mrs. Abbie J. Clyde	"		150	6.81	5.42	5.00	7.23
1944 Sept10	Fred W. Davis	Fred A. Giles	"		150	6.47	5.41	3.00	8.88
1944 Sept12	Florence Crabtree	Robert Peterson, Adm.	"		200	11.72	7.29		19.01
1944 Sept12	Frank W. Gray	Frank W. Gray, Jr.	"	U. S. Bond	100	3.00	2.50	3.00	2.50
1944 Nov 10	Miller & Clough	Ruth M. & Fred L. Hill	"		150	6.82	5.42	3.00	9.24
		Surplus account	"	Dep. Manchester Federal		88.39	1.70		90.09
1945 Aug 8	Weymouth Ellsworth Rollins	Blanche Weymouth	"	Savings Bank	400	11.71	14.29	6.00	20.00
1945 Aug 8	Nathaniel & Deborah Chase	Blanche Weymouth	"		100	2.93	3.57	2.50	4.00
1945 Aug 8	Kimball & Hill	F. Gordon Kimball	"		150	5.40	5.39	3.00	7.79
1945 Sept 6	Henry M. Lee	Henry M. Lee Estate	"		200	6.43	7.16	3.00	10.59
1945 April19	Will Varney & Laura Getchell	Arthur Getchell	"		500	27.11	18.18	3.00	42.29
1946 Feb 20	Thomas Batchelder	Mrs. Wm. W. Batchelder	"		200	6.31	7.16	3.00	10.47
1946 June11	Leslie Brock	Hattie Brock	"		200	5.59	7.14	3.00	9.73
1946 July 2	Willie M. Stevens	Carrie M. Card	"		150	4.18	5.35		9.53
1946 Nov 7	George F. Lynch	Blanche Lynch	"		200	3.45	7.08	2.00	8.53
1947 July 21	George W. Rollins	Florence Foster	"		150	1.56	5.29	1.50	5.35
1947 Sept18	Robert A. Frohock	Robert A. Frohock, Jr.	"		100	.63	3.52		4.15
1947 Sept18	Belle H. Mooney		"		400	2.50	14.06	3.00	13.56
1904 June 4	Evaline L. Palmer	Library Book Fund		Dep. Irving Trust Co.	510		24.00	24.00	
1928 Feb 27	Oliver J. M. Gilman	"		Dep.HillsboroCitySav.B'k	2,000		70.00	70.00	
1928 Feb 14	Oliver J. M. Gilman	Library Bldg. Fund		Manchester Fed. Sav. B'k	18,596.09		650.86		650.86
1928 Feb 14	Oliver J. M. Gilman	Lyceum Fund		Manchester Savings	5,000	1,126.35	203.33	121.49	1,208.19
1936 May 2	Lewis E. Avery	Sidewalk Fund		N. H. Savings	1,000	401.11	45.03		446.14
1936 May 2	Edwin F. Cate	Highway Fund			5,000	1,633.47	215.83		1,849.30
1944 Dec 29	Town of Alton	Municipal Imp. Fund		Manchester Savings	10,000	306.95	227.81		534.76
1948 Sept 17	Charles L. Blaisdell	Minnie M. Blaisdell	"	Dep. Manchester Sav. B'k	150		.94		.94
1948 Sept 17	Carrie M. Stanley & James M. French	Miss H. F. Stanley	"		200		1.25		1.25
1948 Nov 1	Thomas E. Elder	Grace H. Elder	"		200		.83		.83
1948	John P. Watson & Charles L. Pinkham	Hattie M. Watson	"		150				
					$66,145.35	$4,834.47	$2,294.26	$798.63	$6,330.10

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.
Dec. 31, 1948. FRANK M. AYER, CLARENCE P. KILBORN, CALVIN J. WYMAN, Trustees.

We, the undersigned, having examined the foregoing account, find it properly vouched and correctly cast. RAYMOND C. DUNCAN, ROBERT D. SEDERQUIST, Auditors.
Jan. 1, 1949

TRUST FUND EXPENDITURES

DISBURSEMENT FROM 1948 INCOME

Paid Alton public library	$94.00	
Pittsfield boys' band	100.00	
Expenses of navy band	21.49	
Clarence E. Barnes	495.00	
Flowers and urns	15.00	
Cleaning cemetery in spring	25.00	
Filling in graves when there was insufficient funds	15.00	
Repairs and care of water pipes	10.00	
Water department	16.64	
Pauline M. Kimball, care Nutter lot	5.00	
Villie L. Grant, care Glidden lot	1.50	
		$798.63

RECORD OF INVESTMENTS

No. Shares		Cost
54	Public Service Co. of New Hampshire	$4,117.50
122	The Pennsylvania Co. (Banking and Trusts, Phila.)	4,117.50
86	Manufacturers Trust Co., New York	4,344.25
98	Chemical Bank and Trust Co., New York	4,116.00
100	National City Bank, New York	4,187.50
90	New Hampshire Fire Ins. Co.	4,117.50
102	Public National Bank and Trust Co., New York	4,156.50
80	First National Bank, Boston	4,100.00
170	National Shawmut Bank, Boston	4,230.00
80	The United Illuminating Co., New Haven, Conn.	4,100.00
147	Great American Ins. Co., New York	4,116.00
112	Chase National Bank, New York	4,130.00
185	Springfield Gas Light, Springfield, Mass.	4,370.65
	Total Investment	$54,203.38

On this investment we received three quarterly dividends in 1948 amounting to $1,964.60, of which we have credited three and one-half per cent to each individual fund, leaving a balance of $66.72 which we have credited to surplus account.

REPORT OF LIGHTING PRECINCT

December 31, 1948

RECEIPTS

January 1, 1948, cash on hand	$1,177.72	
Received from town of Alton	2,700.00	
		$3,877.72

PAYMENTS

Paid White Mountain Power Co.	$2,627.12	
Frederick M. Perkins, commissioner	5.00	
Clarence Kilborn, commissioner	5.00	
Herbert Alden, commissioner	5.00	
Harry B. Lang, clerk	5.00	
Gladys D. Duncan, treasurer	5.00	
Frank M. Ayer, moderator	3.00	
Cash on hand, December 31, 1948	1,222.60	
		$3,877.72

Respectfully submitted,

GLADYS D. DUNCAN,

Treasurer.

WATER DEPT. TREASURER'S REPORT

EXPENDITURES

Repairs to main, hydrants, services and meter	$368.10
Operating expense	474.02
Power purchased	858.86
Source of supply	65.50
Distribution expense	23.84
Purification	127.00
Meter labor	80.50
Job work	63.25
Miscellaneous labor	25.70
New services	216.08
Equipment	17.00
Two new hydrants on Main street extension	249.70

Main street extension	4,949.70	
River street extension	176.00	
Stock purchased for new extension and not used	2,176.79	
Other stock purchased	426.82	
General expense	129.55	
Commercial expense	50.39	
Insurance	40.97	
Interest	627.00	
Payments on notes	1,400.00	
		$12,546.81
Cash on hand December 31, 1948		4,172.98
		$16,719.79

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand January 1, 1948	$1,693.73	
Received from water sales	4,907.13	
Job work and merchandise sales	118.93	
Town of Alton, note	10,000.00	
		$16,719.79
Accounts receivable, December 31, 1948:		
Water rentals	$2,203.48	
Job work and merchandise sales	37.40	
		$2,240.88
Department debt, January 1, 1948	$22,150.00	
Department debt, December 31, 1948	20,750.00	
Reduction of old debt		$1,400.00
New debt, December 31, 1948	$10,000.00	

JOHN H. McDUFFEE,

Treasurer of Alton Water Works.

Births Registered in the Town of Alton, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1948

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of the Child, if any	Sex-Condition: Male	Sex-Condition: Female	Sex-Condition: Living or Stillborn	Sex-Condition: No of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Parents	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan 11	Wolfeboro	Richard Emil	M		L	1	Emil Kardinal	Audrey Maguire	Alton	Ship'sM'ster	Woburn Mass	Bronx N Y
13	Rochester	Gloria Vivien		F	L	1	Charles S Brown	Madelyn Graves	"	Machinist	BirminghamAla	Berwick Me
27	Laconia	Lucinda		F	L	1	Roland C Lamper	Lucy A Bigelow	"	Carpenter	Alton	N'thamptonMas
Mar 9	Wolfeboro	Paul James	M		S	4	Frank A Burleigh	Cori'neMcHugh	"	Merchant	Rochester	Wolfeboro
Apr 1	"	Peter Haag	M		L	2	PierreJBusschaert	EdithCummings	"	Farmer	N. Y. City	WorcesterMass
5	"	Joanne April		F	L	2	James H Showers	Alice Hushlak	"	Retired	York Pa	Canada
5	"	Carol Lee		F	L	1	Gordon D Swaffield	Nancy H Wales	"	Printer	Boston Mass	BridgeportConn
May 2	Pittsfield	Donna Lee		F	L	1	A Dana Morse	Ele'norMLeDuc	"	Farmer	Concord	Pittsfield
5	Wolfeboro	Hayden Alan	M		L	4	Fred N Hillsgrove	Ella E Goodwin	"	Farmer	Dover	Alton
Aug 24	"	Richard Edw	M		L	1	John E Helie	Virginia D Drew	"	Laborer	Providence R I	"
Sept 9	Laconia	Helen Edith		F	L	2	George L Bushey	RachelWinslow	"	Carpenter	Lakeport	Union
20	Wolfeboro	Judith Ann		F	L	2	S Bonson Garner	Grace W Pratt	"	Salesman	Hatboro Pa	SomervilleMass
Oct 30	"	Jacqueline		F	L	3	Melvin V Drew	Shirley G Lane	"	Trucking	Alton	Gilford
Nov 11	Laconia	Stephen Lee	M		L	1	Clyde E Dearborn	M'jorie Bartlett	"	Salesman	China Me	Naples Me
13	Wolfeboro	Gloria Ann		F	L	3	Francis W Portigue	Evelyn Pervere	"	Machinist	North Strafford	North Strafford
17	Rochester	Ronald James	M		L	2	Daniel J. Wells	MarthaFClaflin	"	Mason	Gilmanton	Alton
Dec 9	Wolfeboro	Francis John	M		L	6	Francis J Messier	Janet A Paris	"	Mason	Manchester	Manchester
9	"	Fr'ncineJ'nice		F	L	7	Francis J Messier	Janet A Paris	"	Mason	"	"

Marriages Registered in the Town of Alton, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1948

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Condition	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married
Jan 24	Alton	Cabot J Morse	Alton	47	Retired	Boston Mass	Cabot J Morse Alice Burns	Boston Mass "	3	W D Swaffield Clergyman
		Olive L Seaver	"	44	Housekeeper	Medford Mass	Holten Hansen Isab'll Barthelmes	Norway Malden Mass	2	Alton
Feb 14	Alton	Daniel J Wells	"	35	Mason	Gilmanton	Ernest L Wells Laura Jones	Alton Gilmanton	2	W D Swaffield Clergyman
		Martha F Claflin	"	18	At home	Alton	Clyde H Claflin Alice Colby	Vermont "	1	Alton
21	"	Harold A Whitehead	Woll'ston Ms	25	Patternm'k'r	Boston Mass	A F Whitehead Ethel M Eaton	Boston Mass "	1	W D Swaffield Clergyman
		Eleanor M Russell	Alton	21	Office instr	W Newbury Ms	Chas R Russell Bertha Rose	Claremont Ipswich Mass	1	Alton
Apr 18	"	Weston E Alden	"	26	Garage prop	Alton	Herbert T Alden Lois Presby	Campello Mass Dalton	1	W D Swaffield Clergyman
		Cath'ine Littlefield	"	20	Cashier	"	C W Littlefield Jennie L Glidden	Woburn Mass Alton	1	Alton
Jne 24	Belmont	Herbert F Swett	"	23	Painter	Belmont	Fred H Swett Stella Patton	Gilmanton Bristol	1	F W Fitzpatric Minister
		Irene E Simonds	"	17	At home	Alton	Frank E Simonds M'guerite A Ware	Farmington "	1	Belmont
July 10	Alton	H W Medenbach Jr	Natick Mass	22	Painter	Jersey City NJ	H W Medenbach Mary Fitzgerald	Jersey City N J "	1	Frank M Ayer J of P
		Shirley M Elliott	"	18	Tel operator	Union City NJ	Eugene C Elliott Eleanor A Farrell	Brooklyn N Y New York City	1	Alton
31	"	Neal A Tyler Jr	Casper Wyo	28	Lumber	Laramie Wyo	Neal A Tyler M B Nicolaysen	Cleveland Ohio Casper Wyo	1	W D Swaffield Clergyman
		Millicent Swaffield	Alton	24	Teacher	Keene	W D Swaffield Helen T Hartwell	Harvey N B Providence R I	1	Alton
Sept 3	Laconia	Forrest S Canney	"	49	Masontender	Gilmanton	John W Canney Laura J Smith	Tuftonboro Concord	2	Albert L Counk Clergyman
		Mabel H Lessieur	"	43	Shoeworker	Manchester	Walter Boughner Elmira Busseau	Ridgetown Ont Lampton P Q	2	Laconia
Oct 2	Alton	Frederick L Dignan	Revere Mass	25	Wareh'sem'n	Waltham Mass	F'derick L Dignan Margaret Mackey	Massachusetts Roxbury Mass	1	Frank M Ayer J of P
		Phyllis Friedman	Alton	24	At home	Chelsea Mass	Percy S Friedman Alice Durg'n	" Cambridge Mas	1	Alton

Marriages Registered in the Town of Alton (continued)

Nov 19	"	Henry J Foster	Shr'wsb'yMs	37	Fireman	ShrewsbyMas	James M Foster	Grafton Mass		
							NoraACoakley	Ireland	1	Frank M Ayer
		Helen H Marshall	MarlboroMs	44	Mach'ne opr	MarlboroMass.	Robt E Marshall	Marblehead Ms		J of P
							Carrie B Holt	Lebanon	2	Alton
21	Alton	Aedell D Stinson	Qu'nsetPtRI	27	U S Navy	Ryan Okla	Romulas Stinson	Nocona Okla		
							Maud B Bishop	"	2	W D Swaffield
		Muriel V Proctor	Alton	20	At home	Laconia	Lewis I Proctor	Barnstead		Clergyman
							V A Warburton	Rochester	1	Alton
Dec 31	"	Donald C Alden	"	26	Carpenter	Alton	Herbert T Alden	CampelloMass		
							Lois Presby	Dalton	1	W D Swaffield
		DorothyCLeighton	"	20	Office work	"	W E Leighton	Milton		Clergyman
							GeorgiaFLamper	Alton	1	Alton

Out of Town Marriages Reported

Jan 15	Rochester	WendellCBlakeney	Alton	22	Salesman	Halifax N S	Colin D Blakeney	Halifax N S	1	Chas H Felker
							G P Boutilier			J of P
		Patricia M Arnold	Farmington	25	Shoeworker	KitteryPtMe	GeorgeWArnold	Augusta Me	2	Rochester
							DorothyVHiggins	Kittery Pt Me		
Jne 12	Alton	Gordon R Folsom	Durham	23	Student	S Berwick Me	RaymondFolsom	S Berwick Me	1	G R Johnson
							Alice L Hasty	"		Minister
		Ellen P Murray	Alton	22	Student	WollastonMas	H W Pinkham	Wollaston Mass	2	Durham
							ElizabthAPotter	N Y		
26	Durham	Leslie E Roberts	"	26	Contractor	Wolfeboro	Chas E Roberts	Wolfeboro	1	Wm W Lewis
							Ella F Rowe	Newburyp'tMs		Clergyman
		Suzanne Sickmon	Durham	23	Student	Chico Cal	Clive H Sickmon	AtholSpri'gsNY	1	Portsmouth
							Sara E Leitzell	Bellfont Pa		
Sept14	Laconia	Leon T Dodge	Alton	51	Merchant	Pembroke	James E Dodge	Pembroke	2	FrankPFletcher
							MaybelleAhmuty	BlackstoneMas		Clergyman
		Hilma C Fifield	Laconia	48	Nurse	Laconia	Ira E Fifield	Dorchester	1	Laconia
							JennieWilkinson	Plymouth		
12	Berw'kMe	Daniel E Colby	Alton	38	Sawyer	"	John D Colby	Gilford	2	Edw F Gomell
							Mabel A Cady	Lowell Mass		Notary Public
		DelmaEStrickland	Laconia	33	Clockworker	"	Geo F LaPierre	Canada	2	Berwick Me
							Delia Lessard	"		
Dec 19	Pittsfield	Wesley C Couch	Alton	55	Merchant	Bradford	Samuel M Couch	Bradford	3	Mayland P Foss
							Gertrude	Glover Vt		J of P
		Lillian Butler	"	33	Clerk	Newfoundland	Signor Lindahl	Sweden	2	Pittsfield
							Ellen Bennet	England		

Deaths Registered in the Town of Alton, N. H., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1948

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age Years	Age Months	Age Days	Place of Birth	S and C Male	S and C Female	S and C S or W	Occupation	Place of Birth Father	Place of Birth Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Disease or Cause of Death	Name of Physician Reporting Death
Jan 7	Alton	F W Dewhirst	81	5	6	England		F	W	At home	England	England	Henry Waples	C'line Claridge	Gastro-ent'tis	A Appleyard
10	"	G J Burnell	80	11	24	W'ns'ket RI		F	W	At home			Malboeuf		Arterioscl'osis	A Appleyard
Feb 8	"	Lillian Proctor	79	7	26	Alton		F	M	H'sewife	Alton	Strafford	M'is'n Bennett	Chr'tina Berry	Cer hem'rh'ge	A Appleyard
Mar 6	"	M McKeen	83	6	1	Boston Mas		F	W	H'sek'per					Arterioscl'osis	A Appleyard
31	"	M'garet Hayes	83	11	6	Peabody Ms		F	W	At home	Ireland	Ireland	T J Fitzgerald	Bridget	Uremia	A Appleyard
Apr 1	"	C D Woodman	33	9	17	Freeport Me	M		M	Busdriver	Freeport Me	Freeport Me	A H Woodman	Jessie Bailey	C'rbonm'oxide	E J Gage M F
4	"	Myrtie Heath	75	8	13	Alton		F	M	H'sewife	Alton	Pittsfield	Lorin Rollins	Lydia B Berry	Cer hem'rh'ge	A Appleyard
May 17	"	Forrest Nutter	78	2	25	"	M		M	Farmer			Charles Nutter		Arterioscl'osis	A Appleyard
26	"	Em'ly I Rollins	75	4	25	Salem Mass		F	W	At home	Salem Mass	Salem Mass	John S Ives	Mary Buttrick	"	E J Gage M F
Aug 6	"	Percy Walker	95	7	5	Boston Mas	M		W	Farmer	Alton	Clarend'n Vt	Zeth C Walker	S'r'h M Horton	Arterios heart	R W Tuttle
18	"	Geo M Phippen	85	11	12	Methuen Ms	M		M	Reales'te	England	Derry	Dan'l Phippen	Sarah	C'cinomatos's	A Appleyard
20	"	Sarah Currier	81	11		S'mersw'th		F	W	At home	Freedom	Seasport Me	Hosea Lary	C A Barrett	Cardio-renal	A Appleyard
20	"	Irville Proctor	78	9	22	Alton	M		W	Farmer	Alton	Barnstead	L A Proctor	Sarah A Collins	Cor th'mbosis	A Appleyard
27	"	John F Kane	78	9	5	Lynn Mass	M		D	Retired	Ireland	Ireland	Edward Kane	Anne Monahan	Arterioscl'osis	A Appleyard
Sept 13	"	John Proctor	80		25	Alton	M		S	Farmer	Alton	Barnstead	L A Proctor	Sarah A Collins	Cor th'mbosis	A Appleyard
20	"	A'nie Brackett	90		10	Ch't'v'le Me		F	S	At home	N Augu'ta Me	Conway	O C Brackett	Susan P Chase	Arterioscl'osis	A Appleyard
9	"	Cabot J Morse	48		15	Boston Mas	M		M	Retired	Boston Mass	Boston Mass	Cabot J Morse	Alice Burns	Drowning	E J Gage M F
Oct 13	"	Chas Amazeen	85		2	Nashua	M		D	"	Portsmouth	Newcastle	Chas Amazeen	Lucy Pridham	Carcin'ma Jaw	A Appleyard
Nov 27	"	David Burrows	87	1	4	Middleton	M		W	Farmer	Middleton	Ossipee	David Burrows	B'tsey Witham	Cer hem'rh'ge	A Appleyard
Dec 20	"	Wm H Smith	94	5	3	Concord	M		M	Retired	W'tf'rd Mass	Nashua	Chas Robbins	Susan Bagley	C'cinomasig'd	A Appleyard

Out of Town Deaths Reported

Feb 11	W'lfeb'o	Chas H Davis	85	7	4	Lyme	M		M	Retired			Alfred Davis	C Tinkham	Cer hem'rh'ge	A Appleyard
13	"	Fr'ces Perkins	78	7	14	L'nenb'g Ms		F	W	At home		Kittery Me	Wm Harrison	F'nces T Jones	Carcinoma	A Appleyard
Mar 9	"	Paul J Burleigh				Wolfeboro	M		S	Infant	Rochester	Wolfeboro	F'nk Burleigh	Cor'e McHugh	Stillborn	J E Bovaird
17	Concord	Frank Howard	82	3	25	Gilmanton	M		M	Farmer			Wm Howard	Abbie Hill	Pneumonia	J Braun
18	W'lfeb'o	Emma J Davis	75			Boston Mass		F	W	At home					Arterioscl'osis	A Appleyard
Apr 6	"	Laura Canney	71	2		Concord		F	M	H'sewife			Thomas Smith	Carrie Lyle	Embolism	A Appleyard
24	"	K F Gammon	79	6	19	C'pelsl'd NS		F	W	At home	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	Crowell Smith	Matilda Smith	Broncho pneu	A Appleyard
May 22	Concord	Georgia Nutter	77			Alton		F	M	H'sewife	Maine	N H	John Gerrish	Hann'h Giman	Cer hem'rh'ge	S G Brown
24	W'lfeb'o	Bertha M Titus	67	2	20	B'kel'y Pl		F	M	H'sewife					Cor th'mbosis	A Appleyard
Sept 8	C'd'r N J	Th'm's E Elder	65	10	12	H'lv D'le Va	M		M	H'l'tn Asn	Holly Dale Va		John H Elder	P'scilla Hardy	Cor Occlusion	A R Abel
30	W'lfeb'o	Percy Rollins	57	8	23	W Alton	M		S	Farmer	Alton	Alton	Calvin Rollins	Abby Ricker	Inf Obstr	A Appleyard
Oct 21	"	Frank Getchell	90	9	5	Alton	M		D	Retired			Usiah Getchell	Sarah M	Rupt ulcer	J E Bovaird
22	"	Max Sackett	91		8	"		F	W	At home	Alton	Barnstead	Thomas Straw	Louisa Hill	Broncho pneu	A Appleyard
28	"	F Ch'sterFerry	62	9	2	Boston Mass	M		M	Machinist	Fairfield Vt	Alton	Hugh Ferry	E Donovan	Cor th'mbosis	W J Paul Dye

REPORT OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Cash on hand, January 1, 1948		$28.67
RECEIPTS		
Town appropriation	$501.10	
Palmer fund	24.00	
Gilmand fund	70.00	
Other sources	21.29	
Fines	12.00	
		$628.39
Add Lewis P. Varney trust fund, principal	$275.00	
Add Lewis P. Varney trust fund, interest	14.41	
		$289.41
Total cash accountability		$946.47
EXPENDITURES		
Books	$288.09	
Periodicals	49.80	
Salaries	250.00	
Insurance	20.25	
Binding books	15.42	
Typing cards	5.00	
Paste	1.19	
		$629.75
Cash on hand December 31, 1948		$316.72
Analysis of cash on hand:		
General funds	$27.31	
L. P. Varney trust fund:		
Principal	275.00	
Interest	14.41	
		$316.72

Respectfully submitted,

ANNIE A. WHEELER,

Librarian.

RESOURCES

Number of bound volumes at beginning of year	6,623
Number of bound volumes added by purchase	161
Number of bound volumes given to the library	30
	6,814
Number of bound volumes discarded	505
Total number of volumes on hand at end of year	6,309
Total number of magazines currently received	25

SERVICE

Number of volumes of non-fiction loaned	638
Number of volumes of fiction loaned	7,463
Number of magazines loaned	388
Number of volumes of non-fiction borrowed from state library	50
Total circulation for current year	8,539
Number of new borrowers during the year	102
Number of active borrowers during the year	212

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

As your duly elected auditors, we have carefully checked the accounts of the town treasurer, tax collector, precinct treasurer, trustees of trust funds, treasurer of the water commissioners, library trustees and treasurer of the lighting precinct along with the bank statement of the several departments.

According to the best of our knowledge and belief they are properly vouched and correctly cast and are a true account of the business of the town for the year ending December 31, 1948.

RAYMOND DUNCAN,
ROBERT SEDERQUIST,
Auditors.

REPORT OF THE FOREST FIRE WARDEN

Your local organization to prevent and extinguish brush and woods fires is glad to report a good year of forest protection in 1948. In spite of danger conditions nearly equalling at times those of 1947 when great losses were suffered in New Hampshire and New England, fire damage and loss this year have been gratifyingly low.

With the continuing cooperation of all the people, we can hope to have another successful year in 1949. Let us remember that in any year, over 90% of all fires are caused by carelessness and that all of these man-caused fires are preventable.

Today, we have more slash and uncut grassland than for many years in the past. Smokers, campers and tourists who use our outdoors are also more numerous than ever before. We must therefore be ready for fires which might occur but, above all, prevention by everyone is the greatest need.

A few simple precautions taken by every citizen will help, as follows:

(1) Always get a written permit from the warden before kindling a fire outdoors when the ground is not covered with snow.

(2) If you smoke, always extinguish matches and tobacco before dropping or throwing them down. In automobiles, always use the ash trays.

(3) Report fires and smokes to the warden without delay.

The observance of these and other simple rules will go far to insure safety from fire damage and your cooperation in this way is earnestly solicited.

1948 fire record:

Number of fires	5
Acreage burned	7
Number of fire permits issued	59

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD E. PRIME,

Forest Fire Warden.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL DISTRICT

OF

ALTON, N. H.

THE GOLDEN RULE OF EDUCATION

The first duty of the school is to teach pupils to do better the desirable things that they will do anyway.

Another duty of the school is to reveal higher activities and make them both desired and maximally possible.

Thomas H. Briggs.

FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE THIRTIETH

1948

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PART I. ADMINISTRATION AND ORGANIZATION

(a) Officers of the School District

Moderator

HAROLD TEBBETTS

Clerk

LOIS F. ALDEN

School Board

OLIVER R. SHATTUCK	TERM EXPIRES 1949
EMILY K. BARNES	TERM EXPIRES 1950
LEON T. DODGE, Chairman	TERM EXPIRES 1951

Treasurer

BEATRICE E. H. GOWEN

Auditors

ROBERT D. SEDERQUIST RAYMOND C. DUNCAN

Superintendent of Schools

GEORGE E. HOLLOWAY, JR.

Truant Officer

CLARENCE BARNES

Census Taker

CLARENCE BARNES

School Nurse

RUTH S. LANGILLE

(b) Report of the Superintendent

1. Problems and Conditions General to the Union

"It seems almost needless for me to take time and space to impress on you the fact that the greatest crisis to American democracy is the teacher problem, when every paper and magazine is teeming with data confirming this statement". Thus began Frederick T. Johnson's annual report to the several towns in this Union in January, 1920.

For the past two years, my reports have called your attention to a similar situation. This year I am pleased to report that our children and our schools have fared better. Two years ago, twenty new teachers were hired; a year ago, twenty-six, five of whom were additional teachers; and this year, only eleven new teachers were needed, and two of these were additional teachers.

Teachers throughout this Union are receiving salaries equal to the average for the state. Improved housing conditions, cooperative parents, and better school facilities, along with better salaries, have helped to stabilize our faculty situation, thereby improving the continuity of instruction for the students. It is to be hoped that the districts in this Union can continue to hold these gains.

I must remind you, though, that our country faces a tremendous increase in school enrollment in the next five years as a result of our so-called war babies. This increase which will reach a million a year for the next five years will demand more teachers from an already limited supply. While the increased enrollment will not be evident in most of this area, the demand for additional teachers exists in other areas and will be felt here where replacements are necessary. Whether our children will continue to have well-trained teachers will depend upon our ability to hold the gains which have been made in the past two years.

BUILDINGS

All of the districts in this Union have continued to recondition present buildings. Three schools have new heating units. Improved lighting has been added in four schools. Running water has been installed to two schools, so that all schools in this Union now have run-

ning water and drinking fountains. All buildings now have some rooms which have been re-painted in the past two years. Three buildings have had all rooms and corridors painted. New window shades have been installed in several buildings, and others are on order.

SCHOOL LUNCHES

Hot lunch programs continue to operate in five of the six districts in this Union. Three districts improved their lunch room facilities during the past year. Paid adult workers are now employed in all of these programs. In two schools, these programs gross over a thousand dollars a month.

The Federal Government pays nine cents toward each meal served, if the one-half pint of milk is provided.

Several thousand dollars worth of surplus commodities have been received for use in these programs. The distribution and the handling of this material has been no small task. On one occasion, this Union received one hundred and twenty-five 100-pound sacks of potatoes. Since September, the participating schools have shared, proportionally, the following: 30 cans of orange juice, 14,500 pounds of potatoes, 18 cases or 450 pounds of apricots, 1,680 cans of applesauce, 214 boxes of dried milk, 204 boxes of honey, 17 cases or 510 pounds of dried prunes, 900 cans of tomatoes, 180 5-pound boxes cheese and 15 cases or 480 pounds of dried raisins. It should be noted that, for schools to share in the surplus commodities, the lunch program must meet certain Federal requirements.

INSTRUCTION

All of the worn and out-dated text-books should be replaced by next September. If you have seen any of these new books, you can realize that publishers and authors are giving the children outstanding products today. Committees from all of the schools in the Union have been working on the selection of text-books and subject material.

For two years now, all of the students in grades one through eight, except grade three, have been given standardized tests so that their achievements can be compared with those of other children throughout the nation. Parents have been encouraged to see the results of these tests and to learn where their children stand in comparison with other children in the same grade level.

Your school boards have studied these results also, with view to evaluating the job being done in the several classes. Committees of teachers already selected plan to meet in the coming months to consider the findings of the testing program, to evaluate the subject matter taught in each grade and to recommend revisions where warranted.

As a preliminary step to setting up a guidance program, files are being purchased for all schools and individual folders on each student are being built up.

All teachers in the Union attended an art workshop for three days in December, under the direction of Dr. Mildred Landis, director of art for the State Department of education of New Hampshire. The workshop has done much to stimulate interest and to develop latent abilities in art.

The previous spring, an afternoon and evening workshop in physical education was held in Pittsfield for all of the teachers of the Union. These sessions were under the direction of Miss Grace Felker, supervisor of health and physical education for the State Department.

Modern devices of instruction, such as moving-picture machines, radios, and victrolas are available in all of our schools. Two school districts have tape recorders and one school has radio reception in every room.

Forty-six percent of the teachers in the Union took extension courses either last summer or during the previous term.

Through teacher visitation, bulletins, and meetings, your teachers are being encouraged to constantly improve their instruction. To further encourage this growth, a professional library has been established for their use.

RECOMMENDATION

This is a crucial year in education. Both the state and national legislative bodies are in session, both have many bills before them which can benefit our children. As interested citizens, it is our duty to study the many problems and to make known to our duly elected representatives our opinions on these various issues.

Your continued interest and support of the schools is essential to their success.

2 The Local Situation

Four new teachers have taken their places in your school this year. Two are replacements for teachers who left. One assumes the duties of Miss Thompson who retired in June, after twenty-eight years of service. The fourth is an additional teacher to take care of the added enrollment and the physical education program.

The first and second grades are located in their own buildings and the former lower grade room provides additional space for the Junior High School classes. Indoor physical education activities are being conducted in the old manual training room. Your building, again this year, is being maintained in an efficient manner by your custodian, Mr. Stevens.

To the School Board, parents, interested citizens, the headmaster, teachers and other employees, I should like to express satisfaction with the progress which has been made as a result of your cooperative spirit.

PART II. INSTRUCTION

(a) Teachers

As of February 1, 1949

Teacher	Position	Enrollment
George Hurley	Principal and English and Social Studies, High School	58
Zelma Guy	Grades 1 and 2	34
Eleanor Hayes	Home Economics, Biology	
Stuart Jones	Physical Education and Science and Grade 8	20
Elizabeth Parker	Grade 3 and 4	31
Jacqueline Sargent	Mathematics and Grade 7	17
Jeannette Roberts	Social Studies and English	
Edward Tierney	English, Latin, French	
Josephine Wheeler	Grades 5 and 6	36
		196

PART III. FINANCE

(a) Annual Report of the District Treasurer for School Year 1947-48

Cash on hand June 30, 1947 (Treasurer's bank balance)		$51.43
Received from selectmen:		
Appropriations for current year	$34,484.00	
Dog tax	165.48	
Received from state treasurer	2,631.99	
School lunch	546.60	
Tuitions	1,390.00	
Received from all other sources	180.98	
		$39,399.05
Total amount available for the fiscal year (balance and receipts)		$39,450.48
Less school board orders paid		39,432.91
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1948 (Treasurer's bank balance)		$17.57

BEATRICE E. H. GOWEN,
District Treasurer.

July 15, 1948

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Alton, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1948, and find them correct in all respects.

ROBERT D. SEDERQUIST,
RAYMOND C. DUNCAN,
Auditors.

August 20, 1948.

(b) Financial Report of the School Board for School Year, 1947-48

RECEIPTS

Federal aid:		
National school lunch	$597.54	
State aid:		
Equalization and (or) general aid	2,034.45	
Local taxation:		
Support of school, tuition, salaries, debt and interest and other statutory obligations	34,134.00	
Special appropriations (Article IX school warrant)	350.00	
From sources other than taxation:		
Dog licenses	165.48	
Elementary and secondary school tuitions	1,390.00	
Sale of property	166.50	
Receipts for school lunches	546.60	
Other receipts	14.48	
Total receipts from all sources		$39,399.05
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1947		51.43
Grand total		$39,450.48

PAYMENTS	Total	Gen.	High	Elem.
Administration:				
Salaries of district officers	$244.08	$244.08		
Superintendent's excess salary	538.65	538.65		
Tax for state-wide supervision	350.00	350.00		
Expenses of administration	564.17	564.17		
Instruction:				
Principals' and teachers' salaries	17,648.25		$9,435.18	$8,213.07
Text books	392.10		320.39	71.71
Scholars' supplies	477.93		149.70	328.23
Other expenses of instruction	409.92		327.36	82.56
Operation of school plant:				
Janitors' salaries	1,518.38		754.40	763.98
Fuel or heat	1,010.87		382.54	628.33
Water, light, janitors' supplies	588.36		192.01	396.35
Repairs and replacements	4,171.57		1,296.92	2,874.65
Auxiliary activities:				
Health supervision	681.18		284.42	396.76
Transportation	7,432.75		133.00	7,299.75
Other activities (school lunch)	1,482.31		551.26	931.05
Fixed charges:				
Insurance	89.58	89.58		
State retirement and other	849.32	849.32		
Capital outlay:				
New equipment	119.55	119.55		
Debt, interest and other charges:				
Payment of bills from previous year	863.94	863.94		
Total payments for all purposes	$39,432.91	$3,619.29	$13,827.18	$21,986.44
Total cash on hand at end of year, (June 30, 1948)	17.57			
Grand total	$39,450.48			

BALANCE SHEET
As of June 30 1948

ASSETS

Cash on hand:		
Balance, June 30, 1948	$17.57	
Total assets		$17.57
Excess of liabilities over assets		0.00
Grand total		$17.57

LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by district	$0.00	
Total liabilities		$0.00
Excess of assets over liabilities		17.57
Grand total		$17.57

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Alton, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1948, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ROBERT D. SEDERQUIST,
RAYMOND C. DUNCAN,
Auditors.

August 20, 1948.

(c) District Revenue for the School Year, 1948-49

Support of schools:		
School board budget of necessary expenses of instruction, operation and special activities		
(High)	$13,425.00	
(Elm.)	23,435.00	
		$36,860.00
Other statutory requirements:		
Salary of district officers	$232.00	
Truant officer and school census	35.00	

Local share of superintendent's salary	600.00	
$2 per capita tax for supervision	346.00	
Other obligations imposed by law or established by district	1,875.00	
		$3,088.00
Special appropriations:		
New equipment	$350.00	
		$350.00
Total amount of school board's budget and special appropriation made by district		$40,298.00
Deduction for estimated income of district from sources other than current taxation:		
State aid December, 1948, allotment	$2,034.45	
Dog tax (estimate)	200.00	
Elementary and high school tuition receipts (estimate)	1,200.00	
		$3,434.45
Amount to be raised by taxation for budget and appropriations		$36,863.55

CERTIFICATES

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the obligations authorized, and the amounts to be assessed to meet statutory requirements and appropriations made at the annual meeting of the Alton school district held March 13, 1948.

LOIS I. ALDEN,
July 29, 1948. Clerk of the School District.

To the State Board of Education:

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the financial proceedings of the district for the school year 1948-49, and that copies of this statement have been filed with the chairman of the board of selectmen and entered in the records of the school board in accordance with N. H. Revised Laws Chapter 139, Section 19.

LEON T. DODGE,
July 29, 1948. Chairman of the School Board.

(d) School Board's Estimate for 1949-50

School board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1949.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

	High School	Elem. School	
Support of schools:			
Salaries of teachers and principals	$11,000.00	$12,000.00	
Books and other instructional aids	300.00	400.00	
Scholars' supplies	300.00	500.00	
Other instructional expenses	300.00	200.00	
Salaries of janitors	800.00	1,100.00	
Fuel or heat	500.00	1,000.00	
Water, light, supplies and expenses	150.00	300.00	
Repairs and replacements	400.00	1,000.00	
Health supervision	300.00	600.00	
Transportation	350.00	7,650.00	
Special activities and special funds	500.00	450.00	
	$15,000.00	$25,200.00	
			$40,200.00
Other statutory requirements:			
Salaries of district officers		$309.00	
Superintendent's salary (local source)		650.00	
Tax for state-wide supervision		398.00	
Salaries of other administrative personnel		450.00	
Supplies and expenses		400.00	
Insurance, treasurer's bonds and expenses		325.00	
Retirement		1,380.00	
			$3,912.00
Total amount required to meet school board's budget			$44,112.00

ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

State aid for year	$2,034.45	
Elementary and high school tuition	1,500.00	
Deduct total estimated income		$3,534.45
Assessment required to balance school board's budget		$40,577.55
Special appropriation proposed (article in warrant)		
New equipment	$350.00	
		$350.00
Total assessment required to cover budget and appropriation		$40,927.55

PART IV. CHILD ACCOUNTING AND STATISTICS

(a) Statistics for the Year Ending June 30, 1947

	High	Elem.	Total
Number of pupils registered	56	154	210
Average number of half-days schools were in session	347	347	347
Average membership	51.98	141.62	193.60
Average attendance	49.34	133.90	183.24
Aggregate half-days attendance	17121	46466	63587
Per cent of attendance	94.92	94.54	
Pupils not absent nor tardy	1	4	5
Cases of tardinesses	31	56	87
Average number of tardinesses per pupil	.104	.224	.328
Non-resident pupils	12	4	16
Pupils transported at at district expense	20	73	93
Visits by superintendent	128	23	151
Average visits by superintendent per teacher			16.77
Visits by citizens	518	129	647

(b) Census, September 30, 1948

Ages (as of Sept. 1, 1948)	No. of Children			No. Children Attending Pubic School	No. Children Attending Private & Parochial Sch.
	Total	Boys	Girls		
Less than 1 yr.	10	4	6		
1	15	7	8		
2	8	2	6		
3	6	5	1		
4	6	4	2		
5	13	7	6	7	
6	21	10	11	21	
7	10	4	6	10	
8	14	8	6	14	
9	11	7	4	11	
10	21	10	11	21	
11	13	7	6	13	
12	14	6	8	14	
13	22	14	8	22	
14	17	7	10	17	
15	19	7	12	19	
Totals	220	109	111	169	

PART V. AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES and SPECIAL REPORTS

(a) Report of the Headmaster

The Alton school opened for regular sessions on Wednesday, September 8, 1948, at 8:30 a. m.

Current enrollment figures are as follows:

Elementary grades	101
Junior high school	41
High school	60
Total	202

Tuition pupils include:

From Barnstead	7
From Gilmanton	10
From New Durham	12

On June 10, 1948, four pupils were graduated and one special certificate was awarded. Present locations of these pupils are as follows:

Advanced education	2
Working	2
United States army	1

The departmentalization of the secondary program of studies has proven to be an educationally efficient way in which to organize grades 7-12. This system affords the benefits of different teachers, each with specialized training in his own field, to all of the pupils in the formerly segregated grades 7-8, as well as to those in the high school.

Because of the addition of the primary annex, we have been able to afford ample room to the beginners in grades 1-2, and have finally found the opportunity to split the large junior high school into two separate grades and rooms.

Dr. Arthur Appleyard, school physician, and Miss Ruth Langille, school nurse, have continued their weekly program of medical supervision and because of this periodic checking, have discovered several individual illnesses which could have caused serious trouble for the pupils involved if not attended to immediately.

The continued emphasis on modern teacher training led several of the staff to take courses at the University of New Hampshire during the summer months and others are planning to continue their training in the

future. A three-day workshop in Pittsfield contributed to the appreciation of art as another educational medium.

Because of the increase in interest in the commercial sciences, it is hoped that a full business course will be established in the school soon.

The physical education course, under Mr. Jones, a graduate of the Springfield College of Physical Education, has become very popular with the students, who for the first time are receiving expert training in scientific calisthenics, as well as in body-building games and activities.

The hot lunch program began on January 4, 1949, and extends until the April vacation. Because of the high cost of food, it was necessary to raise the price per meal to twenty cents. No child, however, who cannot afford this charge is prevented from enjoying his daily hot lunch. All lunches are of the federally supervised class designated "Type A with milk". We have been serving about 100 lunches daily and because of the crowded conditions and extra work, we have been permitted by the school board to retain Mrs. Lois Leighton as cook. Mrs. Eleanor Hayes has again shown commendable skill and efficiency in the organization and supervision of this project.

Although our building is an old one and conditions at times become complicated in the utilization of space, it is to be noted that the entire plant is in a remarkably clean and sanitary condition due in large part to the daily efforts of Mr. Ralph Stevens, our custodian.

The student council has again proved itself, and has activated many inter-scholastic sports, as well as other activities. To date, besides the extremely successful winter carnival, the activity high-light of the year was the winning of the Central New Hampshire cheerleading trophy by the lively and talented team from Alton High. This victory was especially appreciated since our school had by far the smallest enrollment of all of the competing institutions. Another notable achievement was the selection of an Alton High girl to represent the state of New Hampshire at the Washington, D. C., conclave of Girls' Nation last summer.

I would like to express my appreciation for the splendid cooperation of teachers, school officials, parents, and pupils who have aided immeasurably in the maintenance of the educational policy which we practice in the Alton school—a policy which represents the stability of the past and is quite aware of the needs of the future.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE N. HURLEY,
Headmaster.

(b) Report of School Health Work

To the Townspeople, School Board, and Superintendent of Schools:

Alton has been very fortunate in having had very little epidemic sickness during the past year to use much time in the necessary follow-up. What few cases there were happened to be very well isolated, which prevented general spread of sickness.

Dr. Appleyard, the school physician, gave each pupil a careful examination early in the school year, followed up by a check-up later with pupils stripped, looking for possible orthopedic defects, particularly those of feet or posture. All pupils found to have these defects were referred to orthopedic clinics at Wolfeboro or recommended to have special exercises.

The most common defect found among Alton pupils was that of dental decay. Only seven pupils were observed to have had dental work completed during the year. We have great need for dental work and this need should be one of the most pressing to be considered. It should be noted that dental corrections now include painting the teeth with a solution of sodium floride, which prevents about 40% of the cavities from forming, and getting this florine treatment as early as possible. To be most effective, this should be done for the very young child as soon as the baby teeth are in. Four paintings, one week apart, are done at intervals in the child's growth. It is interesting to note that all the dentists are complaining that the increased use of "bubble gum" is partially undoing the beneficial work of the florine treatments and is definitely increasing the rate of decay where no florine has been used.

At the suggestion of Dr. Appleyard, an attempt was made to get corrections on some long standing vision defects noted in school examinations. He was able to get the cooperation of the American Legion to start the ball rolling. In most cases, parents cooperated so that nineteen pairs of glasses were gotten, which, with the twenty-one pairs already worn, largely took care of the vision needs.

The doctor also wished to do Schick tests on a sample of the pupils to determine the actual efficiency of our previous toxoid program. He tested the first and sixth grades and found them all to be Schick negative and, therefore, well protected against a possible diptheria epidemic with the state's regular toxoid program.

A pre-school summer round-up, in cooperation with the State Board of Health, was done and all known children who were due to enter school in September appeared for enrollment, examination and recommendation.

One pupil was found in routine examination to require emergency treatment and surgery to prevent serious complications. Once again the American Legion Child Welfare Committee rallied to our support so that the pupil received all necessary treatment at Wolfeboro and, finally, surgery in a Boston hospital, as recommended by the Lahey Clinic. A complete recovery is predicted, thanks to the generosity of the Legion.

Noon lunches are being carried on by the home economics department as usual this year. These hot meals in the middle of the day are very beneficial to the pupils during the winter months and, especially, shows its benefits in lowered sickness and lack of colds.

As a whole, Alton pupils are in good health and condition. If a dental program could be started, the health conditions of the pupils would be most outstanding.

Following will be found a statistical report of the school health work:

Visits to schools	225
Visits to homes	222
Total visits	447
Days spent	44.2
Days due	38
Hours spent	369.09
Travel time	80.43
Miles driven	3033—cost @ .056—$169.85
Examined	203
Defects found	138—.6 per pupil
Defects corrected	42—30% of defects
Without defect	102—50% of pupils

	Defects	Corrections
Nutritions	4	4
Vision	22	19—Glasses already worn, 21
Cardiac	2	2 (under treatment)
Teeth	57	7
Tonsils	42	8
Adenoids	8	8
Speech	3	

Protection against communicable disease:

Small pox vaccination	202
Unsuccessful vaccination	1
Total	203—100%
Diptheria immunization	137—67%

Work with pupils:

Vision tests	248
Hearing tests	211
Weighed	449
Measured	449
Class room inspections	1912
Individual inspections	210

PART VI. SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1949-50

1949

September 1—Principals' meeting.
September 2—Registration of new pupils.
September 6—Teachers' meeting.
September 7—School opens.
October 12—School closed—Columbus day.
November 11—School closed—Armistice day.
November 23—School closes at 1 p. m.—Thanksgiving recess.
November 28— School reopens.
December 21—School closes at 1 p. m.—Christmas vacation.

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January 2—School reopens.
February 17—School closes at 3 p. m.—midwinter vacation.
February 27—School reopens.
April 14—School closes at 3 p. m.—spring vacation.
April 24—School reopens.
May 30—School closed—Decoration day.
June 16—School closes for summer vacation.

(Days lost on account of bad weather will be made up beginning June 19 if necessary to complete 180 days of school.)

(Teachers may attend state teachers' conventions two days, appropriate county institutes and workshops totaling five days. These days are counted as part of the 180 days of school required by law.)

Month	No. of School Days
September	18
October	20
November	19
December	15
January	22
February	15
March	23
April	15
May	22
June	12
Total	181

(Easter Sunday is on April 9, 1950.)

PART VII. DEFINITION OF OFFICIAL BALLOT

The official ballot of the 1949 school district meeting shall be white paper 1½ by 4 inches in size.

PART VIII. WARRANT FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the school district in the town of Alton, N. H., qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall, in said district on the twelfth day of March, 1949, at 1.30 p. m. o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a moderator for the coming year.

Article 2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

Article 3. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.

Article 4. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.

Article 5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the school board and truant officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers, or agents, of the district.

Article 6. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 7. To choose agents auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

Article 8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

Article 9. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars ($350) for the purchase of new equipment.

Article 10. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hand at said Alton, N. H., this twentieth day of February, 1949.

LEON T. DODGE,
OLIVER R. SHATTUCK,
EMILY K. BARNES,

A true copy of warrant—attest:

LEON T. DODGE,
OLIVER R. SHATTUCK,
EMILY K. BARNES,
School Board.

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